GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

MINORITIES WELFARE DEPARTMENT - KAZIS ACT, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880) – Appointment of Sri Khaja Hussain, S/o Kamal Saheb, R/o Gudur Village and Mandal as Government Kazi for Gudur Nagara Panchayat/Municipality, Gudur Mandal, Kurnool District in addition to the existing Kazi, initially for a period of ten (10) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only as per section 2 of Kazi's Act, 1880 - Notification - Orders - Issued.

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MINORITIES WELFARE (IDM-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 68 **Dated: 07-11-2024**

Read:

From the Collector and District Magistrate, Kurnool, Lr.Rc.No.E8 /1790/2019, dated:10.10.2024.

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O R D E R

In the reference read above, the Collector and District Magistrate, Kurnool District has submitted a proposal for appointment of Sri Khaja Hussain S/o Kamal Saheb, R/o Gudur Village and Mandal as Government Kazi for Gudur Nagara Panchayat/Municipality, Gudur Mandal, Kurnool District along with the report of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Kurnool and Tahsildar, Gudur Mandal and stated that the applicant Sri Khaja Hussain, S/o Kamal Saheb is a resident of Gudur Vilalge and working as Naib Kazi, under the jurisdiction of Dar-Ul-Qaza Gudur Village and Mandal since 2002 and the same certificate was issued by the Government Kazi, Kurnool. The applicant has qualified Hazi Course and he has not involved in any criminal cases and no cases are pending against him in Gudur Police Station, as per the certificate issued by the Station House Officer, Gudur. He has further stated that there are nearly 10000 Muslim Population in Gudur Mandal and Principal Muhammadans of local area have also accepted and recommended Sri Khaj Hussain, S/o Kamal Saheb, as Government Kazi for Gudur Nagara Panchayat/ Municipality. He has further stated that Government has already appointed Sri J. Hafiz Md.Haneef, S/o Sri Mansoor Miah, R/o Gudur Village and Mandal as Government Kazi for Gudur Village and Mandal vide G.O.Ms.No.17, Minorities Welfare (IDM) Department dated:17.07.2023. Finally, the Collector and District Magistrate, Kurnool, has requested the Government to appoint Sri Khaja Hussain, S/o Kamal Saheb, R/o Gudur Village and Mandal as Government Kazi.

2. After careful examination of the proposal of the Collector and District Magistrate, Kurnool District, Government hereby appoints Sri Khaja Hussain, S/o Kamal Saheb, R/o Gudur Village and Mandal as Government Kazi for Gudur Nagara Panchayat/Municipality, Gudur Mandal, Kurnool District in addition to the existing Kazis as per Section (2) of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880), initially for a period often (10) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only subject to the following conditions:

1. The Kazi is answerable to the Government for his actions.
2. The appointment of the Kazi can be revoked by the Government on receipt of complaints/verification of records or in extreme cases without notice, if malafide is established as per record.
3. The Kazi shall not indulge any illegal activity in the conduct of marriages nor infringe any law established by the Government.
4. The Kazi shall not carry out marriage of any minor.
5. The Kazi shall not act in any way which is prohibited in Islam or is not permissible in Islam.
6. The Kazi shall not conduct contract marriages.
7. The Kazi or his Naib Kazi shall not perform any marriage, in any area, beyond his specified Jurisdiction.
8. The Kazi shall charge the specified fee and nothing more than that.
9. The Kazi shall appoint not more than three (3) Naib Kazis and the names of such Naib Kazis shall be informed to the Government.

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10. Government shall have the right to take disciplinary action against the Kazi, in case of any contravention of Law or of any conditions specified above.
11. The Kazi shall hand-over the Marriage Record to the Wakf Board, at the end of the tenure.

3. If any question arises whether any person has been rightly appointed as Kazi under the above said Section, the decision thereof by the State Government shall be conclusive. The State Government may, if it thinks fit, suspend or remove any Kazi appointed under this Section, who is guilty of any misconduct in the execution of his Office, or who is for a continuous period of six months absent from the local area for which he is appointed, or leaves such local area for the purpose of residing elsewhere, or is declared an insolvent or desires to be discharged from the office, or who refuses or becomes in the opinion of the State Government unfit, or personally incapable to discharge the duties of office.

4. The following Notification shall be published in the next issue of Andhra Pradesh State Gazette: -

NOTIFICATION

"In exercise of the powers conferred under Section (2) of the Kazis Act,1880 (Central Act XII of 1880), the Government of Andhra Pradesh, after consulting the Principal Muhammadan residents of local area, hereby appoints Sri Khaja Hussain, S/o Kamal Saheb, R/o Gudur Village and Mandal as Government Kazi for Gudur Nagara Panchayat/Municipality, Gudur Mandal, Kurnool District in addition to the existing Kazis initially for a period of ten (10) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only".

5. The Collector and District Magistrate, Kurnool District / the Chief Executive Officer, A.P. State Waqf Board, Vijayawada, shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

KATI HARSHAVARDHAN
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri Khaja Hussain, S/o Kamal Saheb, R/o.11-23/F
Pedakhana street, Gudur Village and Mandal
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The Collector and District Magistrate, Kurnool District.
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